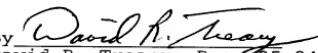


REMARKS

This application is being filed to claim the decoder for the system described and claimed in the earliest U.S. parent application, corresponding to US patent 5,323,396, whose sole inventor is Gerardus C.P. Lokhoff.

Early favorable action on the merits of the application is respectfully requested.

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